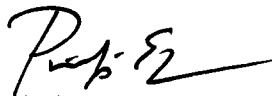


REMARKS

In paragraph 1 of the Office Action, the Examiner indicates that the present application contains claims directed to the following patentably distinct species: figures 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10 and 11. Applicant respectfully elects the species of figure 3 for prosecution on the merits. Applicant further submits that claims 1-10 read on the elected species. As indicated by the Examiner, claim 1 is generic. Further, Applicants withdraw Claims 11-24 from further consideration subject to the filing of a divisional application.

The election/restriction requirement having now been satisfied, examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

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